

Public Notice No. 793

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Fiber-To-The-Home - Copper Retirements in Minnesota.

First Implementation Date: May 15, 2017
Original Date Posted: October 10, 2016

**Summary:** 

Copper Retirements are necessary to respond to various factors in the Outside Plant, including road construction, maintenance problems, and growth accommodation. Replacement cables may be either copper or fiber. Specific information will be provided with each disclosure.

<u>Description of any changes in rates, terms or conditions that will accompany the planned change(s)</u>:

As a general matter, the retirement of these copper facilities will not result in changes to rates, terms and conditions in c ases where the affected service is converted to a like-for-like service that is available on the replacement fiber or copper facilities. Interconnecting entities, however, should review the applicable tariff or agreement for certain terms that may apply specifically in cases where the service is provisioned on fiber. In cases where interconnecting entities elect to replace the affected service with an alternative service that CenturyLink QC offers on fiber facilities, the rates, terms and conditions will be as set forth in the tariff or agreement under which CenturyLink offers the replacement service that the interconnecting entity selects. CenturyLink, separately from this notice, will provide interconnecting entities with further information regarding service migration options that CenturyLink offers.

Locations, Timing of Deployments & Interface Requirements:

The following gives additional details on the copper retirement(s):

		PLANNED COMPLETION OR RETIREMENT			
STATE	WIRE CENTER	DATE	DA (s)	Job #	Replacing Control of the Indian
MN	Richfield	5-15-2017	220204	N.013958	Road construction forces CenturyLink to abandon
	66 <sup>th</sup> Street		420403	E.683212	its copper cables and transfer working services to a
	D CEDI O ICC		330102	E.684097	Fiber Based Access to its customers. Copper
	RCFDMN66		230204	N.013960	reliant services, such as non-loaded copper loops
			120205	E.682755	and line sharing will no longer be supported once
			210403	N.013962	the facilities are cut over Fiber To The Home.
			210107	E.684012	
			420102	E.683215	
			410303	E.682959	
			210208	E.683687	
			120604	N.013951	
			120603	N.013952	
			210305	N.013954	
			210203	N.013956	
			210102	E.684011	
			210202	E.684012	
			210107	E.684012	
			210302	E.683687	
			210208	E.683687	
			430103	E.682961	
			430102	E.683038	
			410503	E.683036	
			410304	E.683636	
			410203	E.682960	
			440302	N.101211	
			440102	N.092190	
			410404	E.683894	
			410303	E.682892	

		PLANNED COMPLETION OR RETIREMENT			
STATE	WIRE CENTER	DATE	DA (s)	Job#	Replacing
MN	Richfield	5-15-2017	410504	E.683039	Road construction forces CenturyLink to abandon
	66 <sup>th</sup> Street		410502	E.683036	its copper cables and transfer working services to a
			110302	E.682754	Fiber Based Access to its customers. Copper
	RCFDMN66		210211	N.013952	reliant services, such as non-loaded copper loops
			230203	N.013965	and line sharing will no longer be supported once
			230403	N.013957	the facilities are cut over Fiber To The Home.
			330103	E.684041	
			330203	E.683215	
			220102	N.013961	
			330102	E.684097	
			220605	N.008281	
MN	Emerson	12-30-2017	N/A	N.009319	Growth in the area requires CenturyLink to install
			N/A	N.008188	Fiber Based Access to its customer. The copper
	STPLMNEM				loops will be replaced by fiber loops as customers
					migrate to higher speed Broadband Internet Access
					(BIA). Unbundled Copper Loops may not be
					available to an individual address after the planned
					completion/retirement date.
					This is Fiber-To-The Home (FTTH) overlay
					architecture.

**Additional Information:** Any person desiring additional information in conjunction with this Public Notice can contact:

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